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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Amendment responds to the office action mailed March 3, 2004. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

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Enclosed is an Amendment for the above referenced application. The fee has been calculated as shown and deposit account authorization is given below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
For	No. after amendment	No. paid for previously		Present Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	23	24	=	-0-	\$18.00	\$0.00
Indep. Claims	6	6	=	-0-	\$86.00	\$0.00
Two-month Extension of Time						\$420.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$420.00

Applicant petitions for an extension of time for the number of months indicated above. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore.

Charge \$420.00 (fee for extension of time) and any additional fees which may be required in connection with filing these papers and any extension of time, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1071.

Date: August 3, 2004

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Respectfully submitted,

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